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SUBJ: DELIVERY OF GRUMMAN GULFSTREAM II

REF: LIBREVILLE 0619

CASABLANCA FOR RCA

1. EXIM, IRVING TRUST ADVISED PER REFTEL THAT GOG SIGNED, TRANSMITTED DOCUMENTS ON JULY 19. BANKS STATED THAT DOCUMENTS PREVIOUSLY SENT GABONESE ARE ONLY DRAFTS. EXECUTION (FINAL) COPIES OF CREDIT AGREEMENT WERE NOT COMPLETED UNTIL JULY 27. IN VIEW TIME FACTOR, EXIM BELIEVES WOULD BE PREFERABLE FOR GABONESE SIGN CREDIT AGREEMENT DURING VISIT TO U.S.

2. EVEN THOUGH CREDIT AGREEMENT MAY BE SIGNED IN FINAL FORM IN U.S., NO FUNDS MAY BE DISBURSED UNTIL EXIM AND IRVING TRUST RECEIVE QUOTE CONDITIONS PRECEDENT UNQUOTE  
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DOCUMENTS SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE V OF CREDIT AGREEMENT,

SPECIFICALLY THE FOLLOWING:

- NO. 2 - LEGAL OPINION
- NO. 3 - EVIDENCE OF AUTHORITY
- NO. 4 - SPECIMEN SIGNATURES
- NO. 8 - CERTIFICATION

PLEASE REQUEST GABONESE PREPARE FOREGOING DOCUMENTS FOR SUBMITTAL WHEN AGREEMENT SIGNED.

3. REGARDING PRECEDENT NO. 9 (INSURANCE) BANKS STATE PRESENT POLICY NOT ADEQUATE. COVERAGE MUST BE INCREASED TO PROVIDE (A) FULL RISK ON ENGINES AND (B) FULL WAR, HIGHJACKING, ETC. COVERAGE ON BOTH HULL AND ENGINES. IRVING TRUST HAS NOTIFIED L'UNION DES ASSURANCES DE PARIS OF REQUIREMENTS BUT OFFICIAL REQUEST MUST BE MADE BY GABONESE. LIBREVILLE AGENT IS AGENCE GABONAISE D'ASSURANCE. IF THERE ANY QUESTION RE INSURANCE, SUGGEST GABONESE CABLE TO IRVING TRUST COMPANY, 1 WALL STREET, NEW YORK, ATTN: DAIBOCH, INTERNATIONAL DIVISION.

4. GRUMMAN, PAGE REITERATED THAT COMPANIES NOT RPT NOT PREPARED DELIVER AIRCRAFT AUGUST 16 UNLESS CREDIT AGREEMENT SIGNED AND DOCUMENTS IN HANDS OF BANKS. EMBASSY SHOULD ASSURE THAT GABONESE AWARE OF THIS CONDITION.

5. IF THE ABOVE DOCUMENTS CAN BE PREPARED AND SUBMITTED, THEN AIRCRAFT WILL BE AVAILABLE ON AUGUST 16. ROGERS

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